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Local Affairs.

The weather continues favorable for those who have buildings in course of erection, and many mechanics and laborers are kept employed much longer than usual during the winter. Good wages and a plenty of work are what industrious men want and deserve, and we hope they may always obtain both in Washington.

Extensive preparations are making for the inauguration of the equestrian statue of Jackson, to-morrow, by the various associations of our city, civic and military. We expect the procession will be a large one, and the occasion such as will not quickly pass from the memory of participants.

It is expected that one or two volunteer companies from Baltimore will arrive to-morrow morning, and we learn that a company of light artillery arrived to-day for the purpose of participating in the ceremonies of the inauguration of the statue.

We were much pleased the other evening, while in the Theatre a short time, with the playing of Kate and Ellen Bateman. We have seldom seen an audience more delighted than all present appeared to be with Kate and Ellen Bateman in the play of "The Young Couple." Richard the Third is played to-night, and we doubt not the parts will be well sustained.

Notice has been taken of the improvement of our city by many of the letter writers now in Washington. We are glad they take no notice of those places where improvement is so much needed; but we hope they will not say a word about the market-house on the avenue until it looks a little better than at present; as to the improvements in progress there however we do not wish to say a word.

"The Deluge" was visited yesterday by many of our citizens and the strangers new here, and expressions of delight were frequent; no one appeared dissatisfied. It is certainly well worth a visit.

Late last evening we stopped into Iron Hall, to see the little Aztecs, and were surprised to see a large crowd around the table, apparently delighted with these wonderful little creatures, as they danced to the sound of the violin. It was really amusing to see the people lingering so late watching every movement of this strange looking race of beings. Le Petit Ole Bull—Nicholas Goodall—is also a great favorite, and deservedly so. Take the whole exhibition together and it is certainly worth the small price of admission.

In Criminal Court, Thomas Fitzgerald, Cornelius Hawks, and John Raridon were tried for riot and found not guilty. Thomas Magruder was found guilty of larceny. Thomas Cahan, J. McNamara, Mack, Patrick Cunningham, J. Halpin, Dennis Mears, T. McCarty, and Connor were put upon trial for being concerned in the riot on English hill, when watchmen Grant and Nalley were knocked down, and the last named severely injured. The trial had not been finished when the court adjourned.

In the Watch house a few lodgers and a man brought from the Island for safe keeping, were all that appeared upon the Journal this morning.

Take Notice.—Are you dry or hungry? why call at UNCLE JEMMY where the best fried oysters can be had as well as oyster soup. His oyster pies are hard to beat, and the manner in which his beefsteaks, chops, &c. are cooked is a caution to the hungry. His ale is of superior kind. Our waiter takes lodgers, furnishes meals at short notice at 7 o'clock A. M. until 11 P. M. Suppers are had for respectable ladies and gentlemen. He is a civil, quiet, and genteel house.

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FRENCH, GERMAN, AND AMERICAN BASKETS, of every description, very cheap Looking Glass, Hobby Horses, Propellers, Carriages, Boys' Toys, Small Billiard Tables, Back Gammon Boards, Chess Men, Dice, Playing Cards, Violin, and many other new goods, received and for wholesale and retail, at

LAMMOND'S

7th street Fancy Store, 2d door below E.

The exploits of Fannon, the famous tory partizan of North Carolina, would make a body of facts more interesting than any tale of fiction. He was a reckless fellow—bloody-minded as the hounds of Hayti. He sometimes slew the helpless and innocent in cold blood—the coward! But he had an instinctive tone and bearing of authority that kept his people within the metes and bounds of his will. He and his party were one day resting themselves by a spring, lounging here and there on the green grass in the shade of the trees. One of his subordinates, a big strong man, had got mad at him. His rage had been boiling in him for several days, and some fresh affront caused his rage to become ungovernable—he drew his sword, and was resting with his elbow on the ground and his hand under his head. His devoted followers were around him, and he heard the click of their locks as they cocked their rifles. "Let him alone!" cried Fannon, in his sharp tone. He laid still, clam and self-possessed, with his keen, dark eyes fixed on the raging lieutenant, as he made a tremendous plunge at his breast. But when the stroke came, its object swerved away like a snake, and the baffled man plunged his sword into the ground. Quick as lightning Fannon's sharp blade passed through his gigantic form.

"Thus and thus, I punish those who disregard my authority!"—and his eyes glowed and sparkled like a serpent's. The man instantly sunk to the earth forever. But Fannon's mare is written at the head of this sheet, and she is the heroine of the present writing. Achilles had his Xanthus, and Bains his Podarge; Alexander had his Bucephalus; McDonald had his Selim. Fannon was a man of blood, like them, and like them he had his favorite charger, and Fannon's mare was worthy of her owner, "or even a better man." He called her the Red Doe, from her resemblance in color to a deer. She was a rare animal—fleet, powerful, intelligent, docile as a lamb—and her owner valued her, I dare say, above king or country, or the life of his fellow-man. She bore him proudly and fearlessly in the bloody skirmish or quick retreat. When he stood in the noisy council of his partizans, or in the silent ambush, the faithful brute was by his side, ever ready to bear him whithersoever he would. But Fannon lost his mare. Down on the east of the Little River, the partizan and some four or five of his followers, one day captured a man by the name of Hunter—a Whig from the country about Salisbury, North Carolina. This was sufficient cause for death, and Fannon told the man he should hang him. Hunter was evidently a man of the time, but what could he do, alone and defenceless, with a dozen bitter enemies! It was a complete desperation. The rope was ready, and a strong oak threw out its convenient branches.

Fannon told him he might pray, for his time was come. The poor man kneeled down, and seemed absorbed in his last petition to the throne of mercy. Fannon and his men stood by, and the trusty mare stood among them, with the reins on her neck. They began to be impatient for their victim to close his devotional exercises. But they soon discovered more of earth than Heaven in Hunter's thought; for he sprang on Fannon's mare, bowed his head down on her powerful neck passed his heels on her flanks, and darted away like the wind.

The tory rifles were leveled in a moment—"shoot high! shoot!"—cried Fannon—save my mare!"

The slugs all whistled over Hunter's back, save one that told with unerring aim, which tore and battered up his shoulder dreadfully. He reeled on the saddle and felt sick at heart; but hope was before him and death behind him, and he nerved himself for the race. On he sped—through wood and ravines, and brambles, did that powerful mare carry him safely and swiftly. His enemies were in hot pursuit.

They followed him by the trail of blood from his wounded shoulder. He came to Little River, there was no ford; the bank was high, and a deep place in the stream before. But the foe came; he drew the rein, and clapped his heels on her sides, and the gallant mare plunged recklessly into the stream. She snorted in the spray, as she pawed the yielding wave, and arched her beautiful mane above the surface, and skimmed along like a white swan.

Hunter turned her down the stream, in the hope of evading her pursuers, and she reared and dashed through the flashing water of the shoal, like lightning in the storm-cloud.

But Fannon was on the trail, and rushed down the brink with all the rough energy that the loss of his favorite could inspire. Hunter turned the mare to the opposite bank, it was steep—several feet of perpendicular rock—but she planted herself on the shore at a bound; and then away she flew over the interminable forest of pines

straight and swift as an arrow—that admirable mare.

On and on did the generous brute bear her master's foe, till the pursuers were left hopeless behind. Late in the evening Hunter rode into Salisbury, had the slug extracted from his shoulder, and after lingering some time with the wound and excitement, finally got well. And that gallant mare that had done him so much good service, he kept and cherished till she died of old age.

SCISSORS AND PASTE.

Mrs. Sourby says she has nothing to object to her late husband, except that he was "tediously long in his last sickness." Sympathizing soul!

The wives along the Mississippi River hardly ever "blow up" their husbands. They always leave that to the steamboats to do.

If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead, either write something worth reading, or do something worth writing.

Why are an hundred and sixty square rods like a decayed tooth? Because it is an aker. "Let go my hair, Bill Jones."

Starch up, brush your whiskers, dress fashionable, and lay in a plentiful supply of soft nonsense, and the girls will call you a nice young man.

Mrs. Chisholm says the best time to choose a wife is early in the morning. If a young lady is at all inclined to sulks and slatternliness, it is just before breakfast. As a general thing, a woman don't "get on her temper" till after 10 A.M.

"Say, Joe, when you served in Mexico, wasn't you very ambitious?"

"Well, yes—rather so! why?"

"Because when your company had to kill those Donkeys for provisions, I thought you indulged in great *ass-pie-rations*!"

A young lady—a sensible girl—gives the following catalogue of different kinds of love:—"The sweetest—a mother's love; the longest—a brother's love; the strongest—a woman's love; the dearest—a man's love; and the sweetest, longest, strongest, and dearest love—a love of a bonnet."

There is one advantage in marrying a widow, and that is, you commonly get a ready made family along with her. It is a great thing to be called "Pa," under any circumstances; but to be thus honored on the first day of your marriage, is to taste in spring the full fruition of the autumnal months.

"Madame," said old Roger to his boarding-house keeper, "in primitive countries beef is often a legal tender; but madam," said he emphatically thrusting his fork into the steak, "all the law in Christendom couldn't make this beef tender." He looked around the board for encouragement, and found that all the boarders who ate the beef held their jaws.

A long nose affords a good handle for ridicule. The man that's "up to snuff," therefore, will avoid them. By the way, talking of noses, what a queer one that must have been which Solomon informs us was like "the tower of Lebanon, looking towards Damascus." To have blown such a nose must have required a gale of wind, and nothing shorter.

Why is a woman hunting for the bellows like a man "shinning" around after money?

Because she is trying to "raise the wind." The young man who perpetrated this, was last seen when his friends lost sight of him. If any person has seen him since, they will please buy a blunderbuss and report.

A huge bunch of whiskers and moustache, entirely concealing the mouth from light, never appear to greater disadvantage than at a table where their owner seems to be probing among the hair with a fork to find the orifice with which nature provided him for the receptacle of food. These forests of hair upon the face are prone to give one an idea that their growth is more cultivated than the contents of their upper stories.

Dr. Johnson once dined with a Scottish lady, who had a hotch for dinner. After the doctor had tasted it, she asked him if it was good.

"It is good for hogs, ma'am," said the doctor.

"Then pray," said the lady, "let me help you to a little more."

A BARBER-ous ACT.—A man in Cincinnati had the tip of his nose cut off on Thursday, by a barber, who, while engaged in shaving him, fell asleep, and the blade of the razor which he held depended upon the proboscis, shortening it about the sixteenth of an inch. The outraged customer immediately knocked the darkey down, and might have beaten him to death had he not been prevented.

INAUGURATION OF THE EQUESTRIAN STATUE OF ANDREW JACKSON.

The Equestrian Statue of General Jackson will be inaugurated on the eighth day of January next, when the arrangements will be as follows:

All those either specially or generally invited, will assemble in front of the City Hall at 10 o'clock a. m., on the eighth of January, 1853.

Colonel GEORGE W. HUGHES, a member of the Jackson Monument Committee, has been selected as chief marshal, and will appoint his own aids.

The military escort, consisting of the Regiment of Volunteers of the Militia of the District of Columbia, with such detachments from the Army and Marine Corps as may be within convenient distance, and the Military Companies from other cities who may attend, will be under the command of Colonel William Hickey.

The procession will be formed as follows:

Military Escort.

The Jackson Monument Committee.

Clark Mills, Artist.

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, Orator.

Chaplains of Congress.

President of the United States and Cabinet. Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, with their officers.

Judges of the Supreme Court.

Judges of other Courts.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Army, and oldest Commodore in the Navy of the United States.

Officers of the Army and Navy.

Corporate Authorities of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria.

The Jackson Democratic Association.

Other organized Societies.

Citizens of Washington and other places.

The procession will move at as early an hour as possible, down Four-and-a-half street to Pennsylvania avenue, thence up said avenue, on the most direct route, to Lafayette square.

At the Monument the ceremonies will be as follows:

Prayer by the Chaplain of the Senate.

Address by the Hon. S. A. Douglas.

Unveiling the Statue.

Military present Arms.

National Salute.

Benediction by Chaplain of the House. The Jackson Democratic Association, fraternities of Free and Accepted Masons, Odd-Fellows, and Red Men, Temperance Societies, and all other organized societies in the District, and the citizens generally, are earnestly and respectfully invited to be present at the ceremonies of the occasion.

B. B. FRENCH,

JOHN C. RIVES,

JOHN W. MAURY,

Committee of Arrangements.

WASHINGTON, December 30, 1852.

REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS OF VOLUNTEERS,

Washington, Dec. 30, 1852.

In accordance with an invitation received from the Committee of Arrangements for the "Inauguration of the Equestrian Statue of General Andrew Jackson" on the 8th day of January next, the Regiment of Volunteers will assemble on the usual parade ground, in front of the City Hall, at nine o'clock A. M. on that day, for which the officers commanding companies will give the necessary orders.

The occasion in an especial manner invites the cheerful co-operation of the military, since it directs the attention of the American people to the erection of a statue to endure for ages commemorative of the genius and valor of a soldier whose extraordinary deeds in arms were even surpassed by his ardent love of the country, so well illustrated by his memorable declaration, which is now, and will ever remain a watchword with every friend of his country:

"The Union must be preserved!"

By order of the Colonel Commanding:

JAMES A. TAIT, adjutant.

dec 31—

Root's Wonderful Daguerreotypes.

Go to Root's! No matter whether it be clear or cloudy weather. Still, with equal truth he traces Multitudes of lovely faces! Root's Gallery, Pennsylvania avenue, near Seventh street. dec 30—

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It is warranted not to gum, being entirely deprived of that substance, which so seriously impedes the rapid movement of all kinds of machinery; and for burning it is cheaper and better than any oleaginous substance now in use.

While it affords a light superior to gas or camphine, it is also free from the dangerous explosive quality of the latter, being solely sperm oil purified.

So pure is this oil that it will not freeze at any degree of cold known within the limits of the United States; having thereby in this, as in every other particular, an advantage over the best sperm oil as now used.

After devoting many years in experimenting with the various oils, for the purpose of overcoming their impurities as at present fabricated, the undersigned assures the public that he has succeeded in producing the "ne plus ultra" of oils. He offers it as superior to any known oil in the world, for the purposes of burning and lubricating, and invokes the scientific of all countries to test it and pronounce their opinion satisfied that all will agree that it is the finest oil ever offered for sale.

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D street between 7th and 8th st. HAS just received a choice assortment of all the makes of cloths, consisting of: Cassimers, Vestings, Silks, Cashmeres and fancy Velvets. Also, Gent's Cravats, Gloves, Suspenders, Shirts, &c., to which he invites the attention of his customers, and the public generally. He will offer goods so low that they can't fail to please those who wish to purchase a good article. He is determined to spare no pains in endeavoring to please.

ALL GARMENTS

made at his establishment are warranted to give entire satisfaction. To those who purchase their goods from stores, he would say that they can have them made in the best manner and at the shortest notice. All work entrusted to him will be done promptly and in the best manner. Punctuality being the life of trade, he is determined to stand by that motto, trusting to his friends and the public to sustain him. P. S. A lot of Over-coats for sale low. [dec 16]

FEED STORE.

A SUPPLY of all kinds of feed of the best quality, kept constantly on hand at L. J. DENHAM'S, dec 30—6t corner of Band 10th streets.

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